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Starfire Optical Range featured on Astronomy Day



ASTRONOMY DAY, ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. – Earl J. Spillar, second from right, a research physicist at the Air Force Research Laboratory's Directed Energy Directorate, explains some of the directorate's telescope capabilities to visitors who stopped by National Astronomy Day displays at the Coronado Mall. The directorate's Starfire Optical Range, the world's most sophisticated adaptive optics research complex, was among the dozens of exhibits at the mall during the day-long event. @ (USAF photo by Rich Garcia)